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**GENERAL NOTICE LETTER**  
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**CERTIFIED MAIL: RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. Ray Langton, President  
SKF Industries Inc.  
1100 First Ave.  
King Of Prussia, PA 19406

Re: Malvern TCE Superfund Site (Chemclene Corporation), 258 N. Phoenixville Pike,  
Chester County, Malvern, PA

Dear Mr. Langton:

This letter notifies you that you<sup>1</sup> may incur, or may have incurred, liability under Section 107(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. § 9607(a), with respect to the Malvern TCE Superfund Site ("the Site"). The Site is located at and adjacent to the Chemclene Corporation, Malvern, PA. This letter also notifies you of potential response activities at the Site, which you may be asked to perform or pay for at a later date if EPA performs them.

**BACKGROUND**

CERCLA, more commonly known as Superfund, was enacted in 1980, reauthorized and amended in 1986, and reauthorized again in 1990. CERCLA has several key objectives, including setting priorities for cleanup of the worst hazardous waste sites in the country, and determining the parties potentially responsible for investigating, cleaning up or paying the costs of cleaning up such hazardous sites. These parties are referred to as "potentially responsible parties" or "PRPs."

In September 1983 the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") included the Site on the National Priorities List ("NPL"), a list of the most serious uncontrolled or abandoned sites at which releases of hazardous substances have occurred or may occur. EPA has documented the release of various organic contaminants to the soil and groundwater at the Site and the drinking water supply of nearby residences has been impacted.

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<sup>1</sup>For the purposes of this letter, the term "you" shall refer to either an individual, a company, a partnership, a sole proprietorship, or a corporation, whichever is applicable.

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